



Great Basin Priority Summary - Based on Most Recent 209's 8/26/2020

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										T-1	T-2IA or 2	T-1	T-2	T-3			
New and emerging initial attack within the Great Basin																	
IA	ID-BOF	Buck	Full Suppression	30 mi. SE of McCall, ID	65	NEW	UNK										
IA	UT-SCS	111	Full Suppression	5 mi. SW of Lynndyl, UT	388	NEW	UNK										
IA	NV-EKD	Jay Creek	Full Suppression	30 mi. E of Jackpot, NV	5	NEW	UNK										
Ongoing large fires within the Great Basin																	
1	NV-SND	Cat Canyon	Full Suppression	16 mi NE of Beatty, NV	125	0	0%	UNK	Type IC 3 A. Johnson	0	0	0	0	0	1	T 2 helicopter, Air Attack, air support. Air show	Radioactive site, no ground crews, air crews must be briefed by NV Security site prior to entering air space.
2	UT-FIF	Cowboy	Full Suppression	33 mi. E of Richfield, UT	546	0	50%	9/30/20	Type 3 Team J. Teeples	3	1	1	3	1	183	Maintain current	Bonneville Cut throat Trout in Salina Creek & Sage Grouse Lek
3	UT-ASF	East Fork	10% Monitor 55% Confine 25% PZP 10% Full Supp	13 mi. N of Hanna, UT	2,752	0	9%	9/30/20	Type 2 IMT Tim Roide	3	0	2	0	2	188	Maintain Current	No likely threat to infrastructure and associated structures near Upper Stillwater Dam
4	NV-ELD	Flat	Full Suppression	52 mi North of Ely, NV	2,616	0	85%	8/27/20	Type 4 IC Ahlvers	1	0	0	0	0	66	Maintain current	Sage Grouse habitat
5	UT-SWS	Scrub	Full Suppression	10 mi. N of Beaver Dam, UT	402	0	85%	8/26/20	Type 4 IC Jeff Hunt	1	0	0	0	1	59	None	Impacting Woodbury Desert Study area
6	UT-CCD	Baboon	Full Suppression	5 mi. S of Minersville, UT	305	0	80%	8/24/20	Type 4 IC Rick Serra	0	3	0	1	0	73	Maintain current	None
*** Notes of Significance ***																	
Fires highlighted in yellow have submitted a FINAL ICS-209 or will no longer meet criteria to be prioritized																	
	ID-SIS	Copeland	Full Suppression	5 mi. E of McCall, ID	91	0	100%	8/25/20	Type 3 Team Messenger	0	3	0	1	0	100		
	ID-4BN	Miner Creek	Full Suppression	14 mi. SE of Firth, ID	406	0	100%	8/26/20	Type 4 IC Holdsambeck	0	0	0	0	0	16		
	ID-EIS	County Line	Full Suppression	5 mi. NE of Wendell, ID	1,557	0	100%	8/26/20	Type 3 IC Goodrich	0	0	0	0	0	36	None	None



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	ID-BOD	Crane	Full Suppression	8 mi E/NE of Weiser, ID	226	0	100%	8/26/20	Type 3 IC L. Neiwert	0	0	1	1	0	30		Sage Grouse Habitat
	UT-RID	Gray Hill 2	Full Suppression	30 mi. W of Milford, UT	403	0	80%	8/26/20	Type 4 IC D. Buttler	0	2	0	0	0	61	None	None

Evening Brief

Date: Wednesday August 26th, 2020

Weather Summary

***** Breezy Winds Thursday Southern/Eastern Nevada into Western Utah *****

***** Cold Front to Bring Increased Winds and Cooler Temperatures Sunday to Idaho/Wyoming and Northern Utah/Nevada *****

Significant lightning has occurred in northern half of the Great Basin over the past 24-48 hours.

The 4-Corners high will weaken and flatten a bit as a weak low with drier air pushes into the northern California and Western Nevada, bringing an increase in southwest winds and drier weather to southern/eastern Nevada into western Utah Thursday. SW wind gusts 25-35 mph with RH 8-12% is expected in those areas.

Conditions will remain seasonably warm and dry most areas, but still chances of lightning Thursday across Idaho/Wyoming and dipping down into far northern Nevada/Utah. Thunderstorms may be ongoing early in the morning from northwest Nevada into southwest Idaho and will move east through the day across Idaho/Wyoming. Isolated thunderstorm chances continue over the southern half of the Great Basin through late week into the weekend.

Smoke from California wildfires will continue to impact parts of western/northern Nevada into Idaho under southwest flow. Improvement is expected later in the weekend as the wind flow shifts to the northwest.

A strong cold front is expected to drop down from the north later this weekend and bring gusty northwest winds to much of Idaho and Wyoming into parts of northern Nevada and northern Utah by Sunday. Winds remain breezy into early next week, with a stronger cold front possibly impacting the Great Basin later next week.

Preparedness Levels & Great Basin Fire Activity (from WFDSS)

Great Basin	PL 3	Light to Moderate Initial Attack Activity
National	PL 5	New Fires and Acres: 33 fires for 290.2 acres. 0 Acres Large Fire Growth.

Fuels/Fire Potential

*****Fuel and Fire Behavior Advisory in Effect for Eastern NV, Most of UT and the Western Arizona Strip *****

Fuels in all regions, of all class sizes, have dried to critically dry fuel conditions. Fuels will briefly moisten through Thursday across northern areas as well, but that will be short-lived as drier and breezy conditions move in late in the week and into the weekend across Idaho and Wyoming.

Another push of monsoonal moisture should bring some moistening conditions to eastern Utah and the AZ Strip later this week into this weekend. Live fuel moisture in the sagebrush has dropped to below 100% across most lower elevations, from the Snake River Plain southward into most of Utah, Nevada and the Arizona Strip, where sagebrush moisture is breaking records, 50-60% in several stations. supporting Extreme Fire Behavior. Across the Central Idaho Mountains into Western Wyoming heavier dead fuels have dried to normal late summer levels, with the increased threat of lightning fires.

Resources:

Aviation within the Great Basin

- 1 VLAT, 4 LATs / 2 CL 215
- 25 SEATs, 11 AA, 1 ASM
- 9 Type 1 Helicopters / 6 Comm.
- 11 Type 2 Helicopters / 8 Comm.
- 20 Type 3 Helicopters / 12 Comm.

Crews Committed within the Great Basin

- 7 IHCs / 4 Available
- 9 Type 2IA / 6 Available

Current Incident Details

Today's Activity (from WFDSS):

Incident Name	Unique Fire Identifier	Size	Status	Latitude	Longitude	Pt. Of Origin Sage Grouse Habitat
Harper	2020-UTSCS-200539	10	Not Contained	39.55375	111.9312	NO
Marvine	2020-UTFIF-200538	0.3	Not Contained	38.67395	111.6372	NO
MM22	2020-NVHTF-501307	0.1	Out 08/25/20	36.0235	115.536	NO
Coal Mine	2020-NVEKD-010273	1.5	Contained 08/25/20	41.1639	115.6347	PHMA
Buffalo	2020-NVEKD-010272	100	Not Contained	41.64439	115.1733	PHMA
Welcome	2020-NVECFX-010271	0.9	Controlled 08/25/20	41.134033	115.09075	GHMA
Pole Creek	2020-NVECFX-010270	21	Contained 08/25/20	41.406167	114.991833	PHMA
Snow Flower	2020-NVHTF-030664	0.1	Not Contained	39.35717	119.9095	NO
Foothills	2020-IDTFD-000296	3.2	Controlled 08/25/20	42.41333	114.4066	NO
CENTER CREEK TRAIL	2020-UTASF-100353	0.3	Not Contained	40.64009	110.4523	NO
Bull Horn	2020-IDPAF-000497	0.1	Not Contained	45.16777	116.4181	NO
Daz	2020-IDPAF-000496	0.1	Not Contained	45.16463	116.2811	NO
Swisher	2020-UTMOD-000294	0.1	Not Contained	39.67391	111.0706	FWS-PAC
First Nation	2020-IDPAF-000492	0.1	Not Contained	44.93687	115.6176	NO
HILL TOP	2020-UTUOA-100355	0.5	Controlled 08/26/20	40.30739	109.8725	FWS-OCC
Four Mile	2020-IDPAF-000502	0.1	Not Contained	44.85144	115.7047	NO
Chimney	2020-IDPAF-000500	0.1	Not Contained	45.32103	115.8084	NO
Old 91	2020-UTSWS-000761	1	Controlled 08/26/20	37.18593	113.409	NO
Wolf Fang	2020-IDPAF-000499	0.1	Not Contained	45.24443	115.4324	NO
Sand	2020-IDPAF-000498	0.1	Not Contained	45.32107	115.8516	NO



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111	2020-UTSCS-200541	100	Not Contained	39.59394	112.3293	GHMA
Darne	2020-IDSIS-000503	0.1	Not Contained	44.86221	116.3144	NO
Elk	2020-UTMLF-000291	1.5	Not Contained	37.71245	109.806667	NO
TRAPPER	2020-IDBOF-000717	0.3	Not Contained	44.7895	115.4622	NO
GATE	2020-IDSWs-000716	0.1	Not Contained	43.75002	115.9857	NO
KNIFE	2020-IDBOF-000715	0.1	Not Contained	43.70009	115.6821	NO
Miller	2020-WYBTF-002010	0.1	Not Contained	43.17155	110.4284	NO
BUCK	2020-IDBOF-000714	40	Not Contained	44.78566	115.476	NO
BADGER	2020-IDBOF-000713	0.1	Not Contained	43.68792	115.7259	NO
Ryan	2020-IDPAF-000506	0.1	Not Contained	45.02843	115.3879	NO
Bartines	2020-NVBMD-020262	0.1	Controlled 08/26/20	39.51562	116.4028	GHMA
Leeville	2020-NVEURX-010277	3	Not Contained	40.836083	116.270217	OHMA
Jay Creek	2020-NVEKD-010276	5	Not Contained	41.9305	114.082333	PHMA

* Fires occurred previous night, not today

For additional information go to: [Great Basin Coordination Center Web Site](#)